TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

SB 2469 - HB 2419

March 5, 2014

SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL: Specifies the "Office of Research and Education Accountability" means and includes the "Office of Education Accountability" in Tennessee Code Annotated. Specifies "county executive" means and includes "county mayor" in accordance with Tenn. Code Ann. § 5-6-101.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (013669): Deletes all language after the caption. Creates the Historic Terms and Definitions Preservation Act and specifies that the Webster dictionary of 1828 is the sole official dictionary of Tennessee used to determine the intent, spirit, and letter of all documents originated by the founding fathers of Tennessee and the United States. Requires the Senate Judiciary Committee to determine whether a violation of the proposed legislation has occurred and whether irreparable harm has resulted.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

Assumption for the bill as amended:

• Requiring the Senate Judiciary Committee to determine whether a violation of the proposed legislation by any public employee or public official has occurred and whether irreparable harm has occurred will not result in a significant fiscal impact to the state.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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